IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:11-CV-597-FDW-DCK

THE FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. ET AL., LITIGATION TRUST,)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.) ORDEI	<u> </u>
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS, INC., NYNEX CORPORATION, VERIZON NEW)))	
ENGLAND, INC., CELLCO PARTNERSHIP d/b/a Verizon Wireless, AND VERIZON)	
WIRELESS OF THE EAST, L.P.,)	
Defendants.)	

THIS MATTER IS BEFORE THE COURT on the "Application For Admission To Practice *Pro Hac Vice*" (Document No. 32) concerning W. Scott Locher, filed January 31, 2012. Mr. Locher seeks to appear as counsel *pro hac vice* for Plaintiff The Fairpoint Communications, Inc., et al. Litigation Trust.

Upon review and consideration of the motion, which was accompanied by submission of the necessary fee, the Court will grant the motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that in accordance with Local Rule 83.1, Mr. Locher is hereby admitted to appear before the Court *pro hac vice* on behalf of Plaintiff the Fairpoint Communications, Inc., et al. Litigation Trust.

Signed: January 31, 2012

David C. Keesler

United States Magistrate Judge